Public Notice - Environmental Permit

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To seek public comment on a draft permit from the Department of Environmental Quality to limit air pollution emitted by a facility in Buchanan, Virginia.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: October 10, 2007 to November 9, 2007

PERMIT NAME: State Operating Permit issued by DEQ, under the authority of the Air Pollution Control Board

APPLICANT NAME, ADDRESS, & REGISTRATION NUMBER: O-N Minerals, James River Operations, 684 Parkway Drive P.O. Box 617 Buchanan, VA 24066; # 20320

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: O-N Minerals, James River Operations has applied for a permit for a coarse aglime mill, grinding mill and sand circuit crusher at the O-N Minerals facility located at 684 Parkway Drive, Buchanan, Virginia. The permit would allow the source to combine four existing air permits into one permit, invalidate a construction permit for which the equipment was never installed and replace three screw conveyors with two belt conveyors. There is no expected emissions increase from this permit action.

HOW TO COMMENT: DEQ accepts comments by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments must include the name, address and telephone number of the person commenting and be received by DEQ within the comment period. The public may review the draft permit and application at the DEQ office named below. The draft permit is also available on the DEQ website at www.deq.virginia.gov. The public also may request a public hearing. To request a public hearing, written comments must include: 1) The names, mailing addresses and telephone numbers of the requester and of all people represented by the requester; 2) The reason a hearing is requested, including associated air quality concerns; and 3) A brief, informal statement regarding the extent of interest of the requester, including how operation of the facility affects the requester.

CONTACT FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS, DOCUMENT REQUESTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: MARGARET O. WAGNER; VADEQ, 3019 Peters Creek Road, Roanoke, VA 24019; Phone: 540-562-6713; Fax: 540-562-6729; E-mail: mowagner@deq.virginia.gov.